## Minutes of the Houston Planning Commission

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### April 26, 2018

Meeting held in Council Chambers, Public Level, City Hall Annex 2:30 p.m.

#### Call to Order

Chair Martha L. Stein called the meeting to order at 2:36 p.m. with a quorum present.

Martha L. Stein, Chair

M. Sonny Garza, Vice Chair

Susan Alleman

Left at 4:03 p.m. during item #131

Bill Baldwin

Fernando L. Brave

Left at 5:38 during III

Antoine Bryant

Arrived at 2:39 p.m. during Director's Report

Lisa Clark

Mark A. Kilkenny

Absent

Lydia Mares

**Christina Morales** 

Left at 3:26 p.m. during item #126

Paul R. Nelson

Absent

Linda Porras-Pirtle

Ian Rosenberg

Megan R. Sigler

Zafar Tahir

Meera D. Victor

Mark Mooney for

Arrived at 2:45 p.m. during I a.-b.

The Honorable James Noack

Left at 3:57 p.m. during item #131

Maggie Dalton for

The Honorable Robert E. Hebert

Loyd Smith for

Absent

The Honorable Ed Emmett

#### **EXOFFICIO MEMBERS**

Carol A. Lewis Carol Haddock Yuhayna H. McCoy

### **Executive Secretary**

Patrick Walsh, P.E., Director, Planning and Development

#### **DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

The Director's Report was given by Patrick Walsh, Director, Planning and Development Department.

# APPROVAL OF THE APRIL 12, 2018 PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

Commission action: Approved the April 12, 2018 Planning Commission meeting minutes.

Motion: Mares

Second: Baldwin

Vote: Carries

Abstaining: Brave

# I. PLATTING ACTIVITY (Consent and Replat items A and B, 1 – 119)

Items **104** was withdrawn and a Public Hearing was requested to be established for May 24, 2018.

Items removed for separate consideration 1, 4, 5, 6, 10, 30, 68, 72, 73 and 74.

Staff recommendation: Approve staff's recommendations for items 1 - 119, subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Approved staff's recommendations for items 1 – 119, subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Sigler

Second: Clark

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

## Commissioner Alleman, Clark, Mares and Sigler recused themselves.

Staff recommendation: Approve staff's recommendations for items 1, 4, 5, 6, 10, 30, 68, 72, 73 and 74, subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Approved staff's recommendations for items 1, 4, 5, 6, 10, 30, 68, 72, 73 and 74, subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Porras-Pirtle Second: Bryant

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

# Commissioner Alleman, Clark, Mares and Sigler returned.

#### C **PUBLIC HEARINGS**

120 Bayou Woods Sec 2

partial replat no 3

C<sub>3</sub>N

Defer

Staff recommendation: Defer the application for two weeks per the applicant's request. Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks per the applicant's request.

Motion: Garza

Second: Alleman

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

121 Braeswood partial replat no 4 C<sub>3</sub>N

Defer

Staff recommendation: Defer the application for two weeks per the applicant's request. Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks per the applicant's request.

Motion: Baldwin

Second: Mares

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

122 Breckenridge Park partial replat no 3

C3N

**Approve** 

Staff recommendation: Approve the plats subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Commission action: Approved the plats subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Bryant

Second: Clark

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Briarcroft partial replat no 3

Defer

Staff recommendation: Deny the variance(s) and approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks per the applicant's request.

Motion: Baldwin

Second: Garza

Vote: Unanimous

Speakers: Council Member Greg Travis, Steven Boyd, Mitchell Katine, William Kirk Baker – opposed; Andrew Allemand, applicant - supportive.

124 **Briargrove Park Sec 1**  C3N

Defer

partial replat no 1

Staff recommendation: Approve the plats subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks per the applicant's request.

Motion: Baldwin

Second: Brave

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Speakers: Mike Hessel – opposed; Mary Villareal, applicant – supportive.

125 Falls at Dry Creek Sec 3 C3N

Approve

partial replat no 1

Staff recommendation: Approve the plats subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Commission action: Approved the plats subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Alleman

Second: Clark

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Speakers: Ha Ho and Edward Gibson – undecided; Christian Center – opposed.

Fulton Station partial replat no 1

C3N

Approve

Staff recommendation: Grant the variance(s) and approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form

Commission action: Granted the variance(s) and approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Sigler

Second: Alleman Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: None

Speaker: Randall Baxley - undecided.

Hyde Park partial replat no 7

C3N

Defer

Staff recommendation: Approve the plats subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks to give staff time to review the deed restrictions.

Motion: Baldwin Second: Tahir Vote: Carries

Opposing: Alleman, Clark and Garza

Speaker: Michael McKann – undecided.

128 Lanier Place partial replat no 3 C<sub>3</sub>N

**Approve** 

Staff recommendation: Approve the plats subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Approved the plats subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Garza

Second: Alleman

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Speakers: James Sorgini and James Burke - undecided; Will Dull - opposed.

129 Newport Sec 7 partial replat no 1 C3N

**Approve** 

Staff recommendation: Approve the plats subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Commission action: Approved the plats subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Porras-Pirtle Second: Clark

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Speaker: Cathy Price - opposed.

Pelham Place partial replat no 1

C3N

Defer

Staff recommendation: Defer the application for two weeks per the applicant's request. Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks per the applicant's request.

Motion: Baldwin

Second: Garza

Vote: Unanimous

131 Sebastian partial replat no 1 C<sub>3</sub>N

Approve

Staff recommendation: Deny the variance(s) and approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form

Commission action: Denied the variance(s) and approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Garza

Second: Mares

Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: None

Speakers: John Kovach – undecided; Mark Valero, applicant – supportive; Richard Smith, Managing Engineer, Public Works and Engineering.

#### D **VARIANCES**

132 **Astle Acres**  C2

Withdrawn

Items 133-134 were taken together at this time.

133 **Briarmont Sec 2**  C3R

**Approve** 

**Briarmont Sec 3** 134

C3R

Withdrawn

Staff recommendation: Approve the plats subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Approved the plats subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: **Bryant** 

Second: Clark

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

135 **Encanto Real Utility District**  C<sub>2</sub>

Approve

**Wastewater Treatment Plant** 

Staff recommendation: Grant the variance(s) and approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Granted the variance(s) and approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Sigler

Second: Garza

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

136 **Fulton Lofts**  CR2

Defer

Staff recommendation: Grant the variance(s) and approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form

Commission action: Granted the variance(s) and approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Second: Tahir Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: None Motion: Baldwin Motion made by Sigler, seconded by Mares to reconsider item 136 to hear from speakers. Staff recommendation: Grant the variance(s) and approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form

Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks to give time the neighborhood time to meet with the Developer.

Abstaining: None Motion: Baldwin Second: Garza Vote: Unanimous Speakers: Lisa Calzada, Yolanda Gutierrez and Alicia Palomo – opposed; Randall Baxley – undecided; Richard Smith, Managing Engineer, Public Works and Engineering Department.

137 **Grace ER**  C2R

Approve

Staff recommendation: Approve the plats subject to the CPC 101 form conditions. Commission action: Approved the plats subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Clark

Second: Brave

Vote: Unanimous

138 Interpose

C2R

**Approve** 

Staff recommendation: Grant the variance(s) and approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions

Commission action: Granted the variance(s) and approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Garza

Second: Porras-Pirtle Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Speakers: Mike Van Dusen and Margaret Poissant – opposed.

139 JCWM Properties Place replat no 1

C2R

Approve

Staff recommendation: Grant the variance(s) and approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Granted the variance(s) and approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Baldwin

Second: Sigler

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

140 Rosemont Cottage

C2R

Defer

Staff recommendation: Defer the application for two weeks per the applicant's request. Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks per the applicant's request.

Motion: Baldwin

Second: Rosenberg

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

141 Woodridge Village Sec 3

C<sub>3</sub>P

Approve

Staff recommendation: Grant the variance(s) and approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Granted the variance(s) and approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Baldwin

Second: Brave

Vote: Carries

Abstaining: Sigler

142 Yeibis Mexican Grill

C2R

Approve

Staff recommendation: Grant the variance(s) and approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Granted the variance(s) and approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Clark

Second: Garza

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Speaker: Carmelo Arredondo – supportive.

# E SPECIAL EXCEPTIONS

NONE

# F RECONSIDERATION OF REQUIREMENTS

143 Cypress Animal Hospital

C2

Approve

Staff recommendation: Grant the variance(s) and approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Granted the variance(s) and approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Garza

Second: Clark

Vote: Unanimous

Motion made by Baldwin, seconded by Bryant to move item 144 to the end of the agenda due to technical difficulties.

Items 145-146 were taken together at this time.

145	Tavola Sec 31	C3P	Approve
146	Tayola Sec 34	C3P	Annrove

Staff recommendation: Grant the special exception(s) and approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Commission action: Granted the special exception(s) and approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions.

Motion: Clark Second: Bryant Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: None

## G, H and I were taken together at this time.

G 147 148	EXTENSIONS OF APPROVAL Bridgeland Parkland Village Sec 11 Bridgeland Parkland Village Sec 12	EOA EOA	Approve Approve
149	Chester Park	EOA	Approve
150	Comunidad de Amor	EOA	Approve
151	Dietz Acres partial replat no 1	EOA	Approve
152	Harris County Emergency Services District no 16 Station 3	EOA	Approve
153	Medistar Hoyt Bejjani Sec 1	EOA	Approve
Н	NAME CHANGES		
154	Amira GP (prev. JDS 370 Tract GP)	NC	Approve
1	CERTIFICATES OF COMPLIANCE		
155	24180 Lilac Way	COC	Approve
156	27644 Royal Coach	COC	Approve
157	27418 Burning Tree	COC	Approve
158	24292 Maple Circle	COC	Approve

Staff recommendation: Approve staff's recommendation for items 147-158. Commission action: Approved staff's recommendation for items 147-158.

Motion: Bryant Second: Garza Vote: Carries Abstaining: Sigler from item #154

# J ADMINISTRATIVE NONE

## K DEVELOPMENT PLATS WITH VARIANCE REQUESTS

# 159 362 Cinnamon Oak Lane DPV Approve Staff recommendation: Grant the variance(s) and approve the development plat subject to the

Staπ recommendation: Grant the variance(s) and approve the development plat subject to the conditions listed.

Commission action: Granted the variance(s) and approved the development plat subject to the conditions listed.

Motion: Sigler Second: Baldwin Vote: Unanimous Abstaining: None

#### II. **ESTABLISH A PUBLIC HEARING DATE OF MAY 24, 2018 FOR:**

- Briarmont Sec 1 partial replat no 1 a.
- Foxhollow West Sec 1 partial replat no 1 b.
- Little York partial replat no 1 C.
- Pine Terrace Sec 1 partial replat no 1 d.
- Remington Creek Ranch Sec 5 e.
- Spring Branch Woods Sec 4 partial replat no 1 f.

Staff recommendation: Establish a public hearing date of May 24, 2018 for items II a-f. Commission action: Established a public hearing date of May 24, 2018 for items II a-f.

Motion: Clark

Second: Garza

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Agenda item 144 was taken at this time.

Commissioner Rosenberg recused himself.

144 Midtown Terrace C2R

**Approve** 

Staff recommendation: Deny the variance(s) and approve the plat subject to the CPC 101 form

Commission action: Granted the variance(s) and approved the plat subject to the CPC 101 form conditions based on the unique characteristics of the lot and its location to a major thoroughfare also, my reason has no influence with Commissioner Rosenberg.

Motion: Baldwin

Second: Sigler

Vote: Carries

Opposed: Garza, Mares and

**Porras Pirtle** 

Speakers: Andrew Allemand, applicant, Cheryl Joseph, Aman Khan, Eric Samet, Dan Barnum, Joe Cornfeld and Ian Rosenberg - supportive.

Commissioner Rosenberg returned.

#### III. CONSIDERATION OF A LANDSCAPE PLAN VARIANCE FOR A PROPERTY LOCATED AT **6877 WILL CLAYTON PARKWAY**

Staff recommendation: Defer the application for two weeks to allow the applicant time to submit additional information.

Commission action: Deferred the application for two weeks to allow the applicant time to submit additional information.

Motion: Bryant

Second: Baldwin

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

#### PUBLIC HEARING AND CONSIDERATION OF A SPECIAL MINIMUM LOT SIZE BLOCK IV. APPLICATION FOR THE 2000-2100 BLOCK OF MACARTHUR STREET, NORTH SIDE, BETWEEN MONTCLAIR DRIVE AND SHERIDAN STREET (MLS 705)

Staff recommendation: Approve the consideration of a Special Minimum Lot Size Block application for the 2000-2100 block of MacArthur Street, north side, between Montclair Drive and Sheridan Street, MLS 705, and forward to City Council.

Commission action: Approved the consideration of a Special Minimum Lot Size Block application for the 2000-2100 block of MacArthur Street, north side, between Montclair Drive and Sheridan Street, MLS 705, and forwarded to City Council.

Motion: Garza

Second: Rosenberg Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Speakers: Patrick Peters and Rebecca Bryant – supportive.

# V. EXCUSE THE ABSENCE OF COMMISSIONER BRAVE

Commissioner Brave was present therefore, no Commission action was required.

# VI. PUBLIC COMMENT NONE

### VII. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business brought before the Commission, Chair Martha L. Stein adjourned the meeting at 5:42 p.m.

Motion: Bryant

Second: Clark

Vote: Unanimous

Abstaining: None

Martha L. Stein, Chair

Patrick Walsh, Secretary